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**IN THE UNITED STATES
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Invention: **Fluid Flow Bolt System**)
Serial No.: **10/017,041**)
Filed: **12/14/2001**)
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Group Art Unit: **3679**)
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ELECTION OF SPECIES WITH TRAVERSE (35 U.S.C. §121)

Responsive to the USPTO communication mailed December 24, 2002, the Applicant elects with traverse Species Group No. I identified by as-filed Claims 1-11. The Applicant traverses the restriction requirement as being unnecessary as both the apparatus and method claims pertain to the same subject matter. However, in order to proceed with the prosecution of the application the Applicant enters the above-stated election.

Respectfully submitted,



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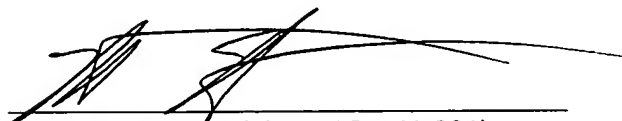
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